



**Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences
PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT
Thursday, November 7, 2019**

MINUTES

- Members:**
- Dean: Chris Gold
 - Julio Farias
 - Renee Galbavy
 - Amy Himsel
 - Richard Mascolo
 - Angela Simon
 - Michael Wynne
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I) SLO Assessment

- The four-year SLO timeline is accurate with one minor change. Dr. Wynne is not currently teaching Psychology 16, so he won't be assessing it.
- The next PLO assessment is in Fall 2020.
- Julio Farias will be revising the Psychology 2 SLOs.
- There are no plans to edit SLOs in other classes.
- The department is currently assessing all three SLOs in each class every year. The faculty discussed the possibility of assessing one SLO in each class every year so that all three SLOs are assessed in a three year period. The department decided to give leeway to faculty to decide how many SLOs to assess in the classes they are in charge of. Angela Simon, Amy Himsel, Michael Wynne, and Richard Mascolo prefer to assess three each semester, and Renee Galbavy indicated in an email that she prefers to assess one.

II) Curriculum – Psychology 9B Edits

- The Articulation Officer notified the department that Psychology 9B needs a Psychology 5 prerequisite in order to be CID approved and to be applicable to Psychology ADT. Previously, 9A was the only prerequisite to 9B and 5 was a prerequisite for 9A. However, now students may take either 9A or Math 150 as a prerequisite for 9B.
- The department agreed to update the curriculum accordingly in Spring 2020.

III) Adjunct Hiring Committee

- Starting this Fall 2019, the BSS division is abiding by the faculty contract in the selection of search committee members.

- After a process of nomination three faculty members accepted nomination, Richard Mascolo, Amy Himsel, and Julio Farias.

IV) Full-Time Faculty Search

- The Faculty Position Identification Committee ranked the Psychology position request fourth. The recommendation is sent to Dr. Maloney. Once the college is given the Faculty Obligation Number by the Chancellor's Office, the number of hires will be determined. For now, the estimated number is 5-10 positions.

IV) Adult College

- Psychology has been selected (along with Child Development and Sociology in BSS) to have a pathway to an ADT planned for adult learners. The pathway will include classes that are online, in 8 week format, at night, and on weekends. Psychology 9A/B will need to be offered in a 16 week face-to-face format.

IV) College Night and Psychology Events

- Angela Simon and Richard Mascolo will attending College Night.
- On Nov. 26, 1-1:50pm, Marie Thouin, a doctoral student at the California Institute of Integral Studies will present a talk on compersion. The talk is co-sponsored by the Psychology and Sociology Departments.
- On Nov. 12, 1-2:00pm, Jorge Chavez, a former ECC student and CSULB graduate will discuss his experience as a psychology graduate student and professional.

Attachments: SLO Four-Year Timeline

cc: Dena Maloney, Superintendent/President
Jean Shankweiler, VP Academic Affairs
Psychology Faculty
Cheryl Kroll, BSS Counselor

ECC Psychology Dept SLO/PLO 4-year Timeline
 Richard Mascolo, Psychology SLO Facilitator

SLO Timeline:

Course	2019 - 2020				2020 - 2021				2021 - 2022				2022 - 2023				
	Fall		Spring		Fall		Spring		Fall		Spring		Fall		Spring		
	Lead	Course	Lead	Course	Lead	Course	Lead	Course	Lead	Course	Lead	Course	Lead	Course	Lead	Course	
3	Himsel	2	Farias	Himsel	2	Farias	Himsel	2	Farias	Himsel	2	Farias	Himsel	2	Farias	2	Farias
5	Farias	7	Mascolo	Farias	7	Mascolo	Farias	7	Mascolo	Farias	7	Mascolo	Farias	7	Mascolo	7	Mascolo
8	Simon	9B	Mascolo	Simon	9B	Mascolo	Simon	9B	Mascolo	Simon	9B	Mascolo	Simon	9B	Mascolo	9B	Mascolo
9A/109	Mascolo	12	Simon	9A/109	Mascolo	Simon	9A/109	Mascolo	Simon	9A/109	Mascolo	Simon	9A/109	Mascolo	12	Simon	
10	Wynne	15	Galbavy	Wynne	15	Galbavy	Wynne	15	Galbavy	Wynne	15	Galbavy	Wynne	15	Galbavy	15	Galbavy
17	Galbavy	16	Himsel	Galbavy	16	Himsel	Galbavy	16	Himsel	Galbavy	16	Himsel	Galbavy	16	Himsel	16	Himsel
19	Simon	25	Himsel	Simon	25	Himsel	Simon	25	Himsel	Simon	25	Himsel	Simon	25	Himsel	25	Himsel

Next PLO Assessment:

Fall 2020